

HELLO NEIGHBORS SOCIAL COMMITTEE MINUTES

July 14, 2022

The meeting began at 3 p.m.

Mission Statement

"Hello Neighbors Social Committee's purpose is to enable the KCCA community to engage in warm and welcoming social activities while maximizing residents' involvement, initiating interactions and building new relationships."

Attending: Peggy Trees, Terri Johnson, Dennis Williams, Jan Hall, Rosemary Dutra, Mary Lou Russ, Ron Yates. Two of Dennis's neighbors who are interested in how the committee works came to listen.

Membership: The Committee welcomed new member Jan Hall.

Neighbors Night Out (8/2):

Peggy announced that committee members can start working on set up at 4 p.m. at the Crown Center and asked Ron to review plans. Ron's comments started discussion which included those present and Nancy Hayes who participated briefly by phone. Here are the plans:

Peggy, Ron, Terri, Dennis, Rosemary and Jan will meet at the Crown Center at 4 p.m. for set up. The committee will provide hot dogs, buns, condiments, water and iced tea.

Participants will sit outside; food and drinks will be set up inside the crown room as will a few tables for participants who don't want to be outside. Ron will bring tablecloths, chafers for the hot dogs and a large dispense for water.

Ron will brew tea the day before, set up a canopy outside on the lawn and provide music to create a relaxed come and go atmosphere to meet and visit with neighbors. There will not be prizes or a raffle.

Ron will prepare flyers and poster for the event that say:

KCCA Hello Neighbors Social Committee

Neighbors Night Out

5 p.m. August 2

Bring your own chairs and a side dish or dessert to go with hot dogs

BYOB (water and iced tea will be provided)

for more information, call or text

Peggy Trees, 503-320+6552

Terri will distribute the flyers and bring sugar, tea, napkins, paper plates, plastic forks and spoons, and stereo from the committees supplies at the clubhouse.

Peggy will bring a large container for water or iced tea, and a potato salad for the potluck.

Dennis will bring 2 bags of ice for the water and tea and individual bags of chips.

Rosemary will bring 100 hot dogs and buns and mass pack condiments, a large basket for the buns, and a large container for water or tea.

Mary Lou will post an announcement on Nextdoor; arrange with Deborah to have the information put on the KCCA website and sent to club and committee contacts; call and invite King City police and fire personnel, giving them the time and address of the event; and bring a dessert.

Nancy will put an article about the event in the August KCCA newsletter.

New HNSC Meeting Time: Committee members talked about making the meeting time more convenient and agreed to change from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. to 3-5 p.m., keeping the day, the first Friday of the month, the same.

HNSC Budget:

- Thinking about an upcoming dinner dance, Ron asked about the committee's budget.
- Peggy said she requested \$1,500; the BOD allocated \$1,000.
- Rosemary (committee treasurer) said the unspent balance from the \$1,000 is \$602, and noted that residents have been happy to pay for events such as Valen-grams and Cinco de Mayo, so charging admittance is an option. Residents are also contributing through donation jars set out at events.
- Interest in getting donations from local businesses prompted Peggy to point out that KCCA does not qualify for tax-exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, although Gorilla Donuts did donate 6 dozen donuts for the Pick a Posey event.

- Peggy also said she would like to have us write a letter to take to businesses asking for donations and suggested having a rummage sale as another way to raise money. Various members identified things they could contribute.
- Ron returned to the idea of having a dinner dance in the spring, serving spaghetti, salad and french bread and having live music and various others talked enthusiastically about what a fun event that would be.
- The committee agreed to make planning for that and other future the agenda for upcoming meetings.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.